

Klein Continues to Fight for Homeowners' Insurance Reform

Boca Raton, FL – Congressman Ron Klein (FL-22) today released the following statement to accompany Florida Chief Financial Officer Alex Sink and U.S. Senator Bill Nelson's meeting in Tallahassee on the topic of homeowners' insurance reform.

Klein is the author of the Homeowners' Defense Act, a national catastrophe fund which spreads the risk of natural disasters across state lines in order to bring costs down for homeowners in Florida and nationwide. Klein's legislation was approved by a bipartisan majority of the U.S. House of Representatives in November 2007.

"It is a great benefit to all Floridians to have Chief Financial Officer Sink and Senator Nelson actively engaged in the critical issue of homeowners' insurance reform," Klein said. "We are all working together to find a solution for this critical issue. In these difficult economic times, the skyrocketing cost of homeowners' insurance is an even greater burden on hard-working families. It is clear that the time for real reform is now, and we are already knee-deep in the work that must be done in order to see a common-sense, market-based solution passed by Congress and signed into law by the President of the United States."